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Chapter I—Civil Service Commission

PART 6—EXCEPTIONS FROM THE COMPETITIVE SERVICE

ENTIRE EXECUTIVE CIVIL SERVICE

Under authority of § 6.1 (a) of Executive Order 9830, paragraphs (g) and (s) of § 6.101 are amended as set out below, effective upon publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER.

§ 6.101 *Entire executive civil service.*

(g) NC/PD. Any position in which the appointee will receive compensation aggregating not more than \$900 per annum, the duties of which are part-time or intermittent, but such appointments shall not be for job employment. In Washington, D. C., such appointments shall be subject to the prior approval of the Commission.

(s) NC/PD. Temporary, part-time or intermittent positions of student assistant when the appointees are to assist scientific, professional, or technical employees. Persons employed under this provision shall be bona fide students at high schools or accredited colleges or universities pursuing courses related to the field in which employed. No person shall be employed under this provision (1) in a position of a routine clerical type; or (2) in excess of 130 working days in any consecutive period of one year; or (3) at a total compensation exceeding \$1050 during such period of one year.

(R. S. 1753, sec. 2, 22 Stat. 403; 5 U. S. C. 631, 633; E. O. 9830, Feb. 24, 1947, 12 F. R. 1259; 3 CFR, 1947 Supp. E. O. 9973, June 28, 1948, 13 F. R. 3600; 3 CFR, 1948 Supp.)

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

[SEAL] HARRY B. MITCHELL,
Chairman.

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TITLE 7—AGRICULTURE

Chapter IX—Production and Marketing Administration (Marketing Agreements and Orders), Department of Agriculture

[Lemon Reg. 333, Amdt. 1]

PART 953—LEMONS GROWN IN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA

LIMITATION OF SHIPMENTS

Findings. (1) Pursuant to the marketing agreement, as amended, and Order No. 53, as amended (7 CFR Part 953; 14 F. R. 3612), regulating the handling of lemons grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona, effective under the applicable provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended, and upon the basis of the recommendation and information submitted by the Lemon Administrative Committee, established under the said amended marketing agreement and order, and upon other available information, it is hereby found that the limitation of the quantity of such lemons which may be handled, as hereinafter provided, will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act.

(2) It is hereby further found that it is impracticable and contrary to the public interest to give preliminary notice and engage in public rule-making procedure (60 Stat. 237; 5 U. S. C. 1001 et seq.) because the time intervening between the date when information upon which this amendment is based became available and the time when this amendment must become effective in order to effectuate the declared policy of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended, is insufficient; and this amendment relieves restrictions on the handling of lemons grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona.

Order, as amended. The provision in paragraph (b) (1) (ii) of § 953.440

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(ii) District 2: 675 carloads.	
(Sec. 5, 49 Stat. 753, as amended; 7 U. S. C. and Sup., 608c)	
Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of June 1950.	
[SEAL] M. W. BAKER,	
Acting Director, Fruit and Vegetable Branch, Production and Marketing Administration.	
[F. R. Doc. 50-5056; Filed, June 9, 1950; 9:44 a. m.]	

[Lemon Reg. 334]

PART 953—LEMONS GROWN IN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA

LIMITATION OF SHIPMENTS

§ 953.441 *Lemon regulation 334—(a) Findings.* (1) Pursuant to the marketing agreement, as amended, and Order No. 53, as amended (7 CFR Part 953; 14 F. R. 3612), regulating the handling of lemons grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona, effective under the applicable provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U. S. C. 601 et seq.), and upon the basis of the recommendation and information submitted by the Lemon Administrative Committee, established under the said amended marketing agreement and order, and upon other available information, it is hereby found that the limitation of the quantity of such lemons which may be handled, as hereinafter provided, will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act.

(2) It is hereby further found that it is impracticable and contrary to the public interest to give preliminary notice, engage in public rule-making procedure, and postpone the effective date of this section until 30 days after publication thereof in the FEDERAL REGISTER (60 Stat. 237; 5 U. S. C. 1001 et seq.) because the time intervening between the date when information upon which this section is based became available and the time when this section must become effective in order to effectuate the declared policy of the act is insufficient, and a reasonable time is permitted, under the circumstances, for preparation for such effective time; and good cause exists for making the provisions hereof effective as hereinafter set forth. Shipments of lemons, grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona, are currently subject to regulation pursuant to said amended order; the recommendation and supporting information for regulation during the period specified herein was promptly submitted to the Department after an open meeting of the Lemon Administrative Committee on June 7, 1950; such meeting was held, after giving due notice thereof to consider recommendations for regulation, and interested persons were afforded an opportunity to submit their views at this meeting; the provisions of this section, including its effective time, are identical with the aforesaid recommendation of the committee, and information concerning such provisions and effective time has been disseminated among handlers of such lemons; it is necessary, in order to effectuate the declared policy of the act, to make this section effective during the period hereinafter specified; and compliance with this section will not require any special preparation on the part of persons subject thereto which cannot be completed by the effective time thereof.

(b) *Order.* (1) The quantity of lemons grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona which may be handled during the period beginning at 12:01 a. m., P. s. t., June 11, 1950, and

ending at 12:01 a. m., P. s. t., June 18, 1950, is hereby fixed as follows:

- (i) District 1: Unlimited movement;
 - (ii) District 2: 675 carloads;
 - (iii) District 3: Unlimited movement.
- (2) The prorate base of each handler who has made application therefor, as provided in the said amended marketing agreement and order, is hereby fixed in accordance with the prorate base schedule which is attached to Lemon Regulation No. 333 (15 F. R. 3475), and made a part hereof by this reference.

(3) As used in this section, "handled," "handler," "carloads," "prorate base," "District 1," "District 2" and "District 3," shall have the same meaning as when used in the said amended marketing agreement and order.

(Sec. 5, 49 Stat. 753, as amended; 7 U. S. C. and Sup. 608c)

Done at Washington, D. C., this 8th day of June 1950.

[SEAL] M. W. BAKER,
Acting Director, Fruit and Vegetable Branch, Production and Marketing Administration.

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[Orange Reg. 331]

PART 966—ORANGES GROWN IN CALIFORNIA AND ARIZONA

LIMITATION OF SHIPMENTS

§ 966.477 *Orange Regulation 331—(a) Findings.* (1) Pursuant to the provisions of Order No. 66, as amended (7 CFR Part 966; 14 F. R. 3614), regulating the handling of oranges grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona, effective under the applicable provisions of the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937, as amended (7 U. S. C. 601 et seq.), and upon the basis of the recommendation and information submitted by the Orange Administrative Committee, established under the said amended order, and upon other available information, it is hereby found that the limitation of the quantity of such oranges which may be handled, as hereinafter provided, will tend to effectuate the declared policy of the act.

(2) It is hereby further found that it is impracticable and contrary to the public interest to give preliminary notice, engage in public rule-making procedure, and postpone the effective date of this section until 30 days after publication thereof in the FEDERAL REGISTER (60 Stat. 237; 5 U. S. C. 1001 et seq.) because the time intervening between the date when information upon which this section is based became available and the time when this section must become effective in order to effectuate the declared policy of the act is insufficient, and a reasonable time is permitted, under the circumstances, for preparation for such effective time; and good cause exists for making the provisions hereof effective as hereinafter set forth. Shipments of oranges, grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona, are currently

subject to regulation pursuant to said amended order; the recommendation and supporting information for regulation during the period specified herein was promptly submitted to the Department after an open meeting of the Orange Administrative Committee on June 8, 1950, such meeting was held, after giving due notice thereof to consider recommendations for regulation, and interested persons were afforded an opportunity to submit their views at this meeting; the provisions of this section, including its effective time, are identical with the aforesaid recommendation of the committee, and information concerning such provisions and effective time has been disseminated among handlers of such oranges; it is necessary, in order to effectuate the declared policy of the act, to make this section effective during the period hereinafter specified; and compliance with this section will not require any special preparation on the part of persons subject thereto which cannot be completed by the effective time thereof.

(b) *Order.* (1) The quantity of oranges grown in the State of California or in the State of Arizona which may be handled during the period beginning at 12:01 a. m., P. s. t., June 11, 1950, and ending at 12:01 a. m., P. s. t., June 18, 1950, is hereby fixed as follows:

- (i) *Valencia oranges.* (a) Prorate District No. 1: Unlimited movement;
- (b) Prorate District No. 2: 1,300 carloads;
- (c) Prorate District No. 3: Unlimited movement.
- (ii) *Oranges other than Valencia oranges.* (a) Prorate District No. 1: No movement;
- (b) Prorate District No. 2: Unlimited movement;
- (c) Prorate District No. 3: Unlimited movement.

(2) The prorate base of each handler who has made application therefor, as provided in the said amended order, is hereby fixed in accordance with the prorate base schedule which is attached hereto and made a part hereof by this reference.

(3) As used in this section, "handled," "handler," "varieties," "carloads," and "prorate base" shall have the same meaning as when used in the said amended order; and the terms "Prorate District No. 1," "Prorate District No. 2," and "Prorate District No. 3" shall have the same meaning as given to the respective term in § 966.107 of the current rules and regulations (14 F. R. 6583) contained in this part.

Orange Regulation 328 (7 CFR 966.474; 15 F. R. 3081) fixes the sizes of designated oranges which may be handled during the aforesaid period.

(Sec. 5, 49 Stat. 753, as amended; 7 U. S. C. and Sup., 608c)

Done at Washington, D. C., this 9th day of June 1950.

[SEAL] M. W. BAKER,
Acting Director, Fruit and Vegetable Production and Marketing Administration.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

PRORATE BASE SCHEDULE

[12:01 a. m., d. s. t., June 11, 1950, to 12:01 a. m., d. s. t., June 18, 1950]

VALENCIA ORANGES

Prorate District No. 2

Handler	Prorate base (percent)
Total.....	100.0000
A. F. G. Alta Loma.....	.1456
A. F. G. Corona.....	.0266
A. F. G. Fullerton.....	.8027
A. F. G. Orange.....	.4250
A. F. G. Riverside.....	.1833
A. F. G. San Juan Capistrano.....	.8742
A. F. G. Santa Paula.....	.5465
Eadington Fruit Co., Inc.....	4.9638
Hazeltine Packing Co.....	.4394
Piacentia Pioneer Valencia Growers Association.....	.6615
Signal Fruit Association.....	.1227
Azusa Citrus Association.....	.4729
Damerel-Allison Co.....	.8407
Glendora Mutual Citrus Association.....	.3613
Puente Mutual Citrus Association.....	.1766
Valencia Heights Orchard Association.....	.4102
Covina Citrus Association.....	1.0203
Covina Orange Growers.....	.5669
Glendora Citrus Association.....	.4261
Gold Buckle Association.....	.6638
La Verne Orange Association.....	.6916
Anaheim Citrus Fruit Association.....	.8309
Anaheim Valencia Orange Association.....	.9004
Fullerton Mutual Orange Association.....	1.3939
La Habra Citrus Association.....	1.1044
Orange County Valencia Association.....	.2503
Yorba Linda Citrus Association.....	.7212
Escondido Orange Association.....	2.7362
Alta Loma Heights Citrus Association.....	.0682
Citrus Fruit Growers.....	.1997
Cucamonga Citrus Association.....	.0971
Etiwanda Citrus Fruit Association.....	.0429
Mountain View Fruit Association.....	.0000
Old Baldy Citrus Association.....	.1246
Rialto Heights Orange Association.....	.0648
Upland Citrus Association.....	.3769
Upland Heights Orange Association.....	.1355
Consolidated Orange Growers.....	1.5892
Frances Citrus Association.....	1.1020
Garden Grove Citrus Association.....	1.0471
Goldenwest Citrus Association, The.....	1.4084
Irvine Valencia Growers.....	2.9654
Olive Heights Citrus Association.....	1.7733
Santa Ana-Tustin Mutual Citrus Association.....	.8220
Santiago Orange Growers Association.....	3.7293
Tustin Hills Citrus Association.....	1.8124
Villa Park Orchards Association, The.....	1.6156
Bradford Bros., Inc.....	.7032
Piacentia Cooperative Orange Association.....	.6362
Piacentia Mutual Orange Association.....	2.4577
Piacentia Orange Growers Association.....	1.6365
Yorba Orange Growers Association.....	.6073
Call Ranch.....	.0989
Corona Citrus Association.....	.6359
Jameson Co.....	.0651
Orange Heights Orange Association.....	.6038
Crafton Orange Growers Association.....	.5249
East Highlands Citrus Association.....	.1180
Fontana Citrus Association.....	.1258
Redlands Heights Groves.....	.3449

PRORATE BASE SCHEDULE—Continued

VALENCIA ORANGES—continued

Prorate District No. 2—Continued

Handler	Prorate base (percent)
Redlands Orangedale Association.....	0.2804
Break & Son, Allen.....	.0752
Bryn Mawr Fruit Growers Association.....	.1993
Mission Citrus Association.....	.2068
Redlands Cooperative Fruit Association.....	.4444
Redlands Orange Growers Association.....	.2652
Redlands Select Groves.....	.2546
Rialto Citrus Association.....	.2486
Rialto Orange Co.....	.2573
Southern Citrus Association.....	.2311
United Citrus Growers.....	.1833
Zillen Citrus Co.....	.0747
Andrews Bros. of California.....	.0000
Arlington Heights Citrus Co.....	.1277
Brown Estate, L. V. W.....	.1494
Gavilan Citrus Association.....	.1536
Highgrove Fruit Association.....	.0713
Krinard Packing Co.....	.3027
McDermont Fruit Co.....	.1870
Monte Vista Citrus Association.....	.2799
National Orange Co.....	.0406
Riverside Heights Orange Growers Association.....	.0738
Sierra Vista Packing Association.....	.0759
Victoria Avenue Citrus Association.....	.2159
Claremont Citrus Association.....	.1218
College Heights Orange & Lemon Association.....	.3750
Indian Hill Citrus Association.....	.2245
Pomona Fruit Growers Exchange.....	.3817
Walnut Fruit Growers Association.....	.5458
West Ontario Citrus Association.....	.3117
El Cajon Valley Citrus Association.....	.2543
Escondido Cooperative Citrus Association.....	.3422
San Dimas Orange Growers Association.....	.3475
Ball & Tweedy Association.....	.4637
Canoga Citrus Association.....	.9281
Covina Valley Orange Co.....	.0501
North Whittier Heights Citrus Association.....	.9421
San Fernando Fruit Growers Association.....	.7217
San Fernando Heights Orange Association.....	1.1079
Sierra Madre-Lamanda Citrus Association.....	.4705
Camarillo Citrus Association.....	1.3342
Pillmore Citrus Association.....	3.6745
Mupu Citrus Association.....	2.2487
Ojai Orange Association.....	.9358
Piru Citrus Association.....	1.9374
Rancho Sespe.....	.9152
Santa Paula Orange Association.....	1.0951
Tapo Citrus Association.....	1.1131
Ventura County Citrus Association.....	.3304
Limbneira Co.....	.5035
East Whittier Citrus Association.....	.3607
Murphy Ranch.....	.3851
Whittier Citrus Association.....	.5179
Whittier Select Citrus Association.....	.2388
Anaheim Cooperative Orange Association.....	1.2403
Bryn Mawr Mutual Orange Association.....	.1045
Chula Vista Mutual Lemon Association.....	.0561
Euclid Avenue Orange Association.....	.7398
Foothill Citrus Union, Inc.....	.0688
Fullerton Cooperative Orange Association.....	.2999
Garden Grove Orange Cooperative, Inc.....	.6836
Golden Orange Groves, Inc.....	.2733
Highland Mutual Groves, Inc.....	.0291

PRORATE BASE SCHEDULE—Continued

VALENCIA ORANGES—continued

Prorate District No. 2—Continued

Handler	Prorate base (percent)
Index Mutual Groves, Inc.....	0.4406
La Verne Cooperative Citrus Association.....	1.7611
Mentone Heights Association.....	.0378
Olive Hillside Groves, Inc.....	.5106
Orange Cooperative Citrus Association.....	1.5415
Redlands Foothill Groves.....	.8944
Redlands Mutual Orange Association.....	.2197
Ventura County Orange & Lemon Association.....	1.3132
Whittier Mutual Orange & Lemon Association.....	.1631
Babijuce Corp. of California.....	.6310
Banks, L. M.....	.5700
Borden Fruit Co.....	.5836
California Associated Growers.....	.1592
Cherokee Citrus Co., Inc.....	.1877
Chess Co., Meyer W.....	.5552
Dunning Ranch.....	.0497
Evans Bros. Packing Co.....	.4078
Gold Banner Association.....	.2526
Granada Hills Packing Co.....	.0359
Granada Packing House.....	1.4269
Hill Packing House, Fred A.....	.1145
Knapp Packing Co., John C.....	.6036
L Bar S Ranch.....	.1161
Lawson, William J.....	.0693
MacDonald Fruit Co.....	.0000
Orange Belt Fruit Distributors.....	2.2801
Otte, Arnold.....	.0279
Panno Fruit Co., Carlo.....	.6131
Paramount Citrus Association.....	1.1173
Pattucci, Frank L.....	.0100
Piacentia Orchards Co.....	.5148
Prescott, John A.....	.0162
Riverside Citrus Association.....	.0477
Ronald, P. W.....	.0159
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San Antonio Orchard Co.....	.2197
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Summit Citrus Packers.....	.0066
Wall, E. T., Grower-Shipper.....	.1508
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TITLE 14—CIVIL AVIATION

Chapter I—Civil Aeronautics Board

Subchapter A—Civil Air Regulations

[Supp. 7, Amdt. 42]

PART 60—AIR TRAFFIC RULES

DANGER AREA ALTERATIONS

The danger area alterations appearing hereinafter have been coordinated with the civil operators involved, the Army, the Navy, and the Air Force, through the Air Coordinating Committee, Airspace Subcommittee, and are adopted when indicated in order to promote safety of the flying public. Compliance with the notice, procedures, and effective date provisions of section 4 of the Administrative Procedure Act would be impracticable and contrary to the public interest, and therefore is not required. Title 14, § 60.13-1 is amended as follows:

1. A Camp Cooke, California, temporary area is added to read:

(Sec. 205, 32 Stat. 984, as amended; 49 U. S. C. 425. Interpret or applies sec. 601, 53 Stat. 1007, as amended; 49 U. S. C. 551)

This amendment shall become effective upon publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER.

[SEAL] DONALD W. NYROP,
Acting Administrator of
Civil Aeronautics.

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TITLE 36—PARKS, FORESTS, AND MEMORIALS

Chapter I—National Park Service, Department of the Interior

PART 20—SPECIAL REGULATIONS MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS

1. Paragraph (e) of § 20.8 Sequoia-
Kings Canyon National Parks, is
amended to read as follows:

(e) *Fishing.* (1) The fishing season shall conform to that of the State of California.

(2) The limit of catch per person per day shall be 10 fish, not exceeding 5 pounds of fish and 1 fish. Possession of more than 1 day's catch of fish by any person at any one time is prohibited.

(3) A California State fishing license is required of all persons over 16 years of age fishing in the parks.

(4) In Sequoia National Park the following waters are closed to fishing as a fish conservation measure, and as protection to domestic water supplies, watersheds, and meadows:

(i) On the watershed of the north fork of the Kaweah River-Yucca Creek from the junction of the North Fork to the upper bridge on the Crystal Cave Trail, from July 1 to the close of the season.

(ii) On the watershed of the Marble Fork of the Kaweah River-Deer Creek from the foot bridge on the Sunset-Village Trail to source, except to children 10 years of age or younger; that section of Wolverton Dam from point where water supply signs are posted to source; Silliman Creek from source at Silliman Lake to bridge on Generals Highway.

(iii) On the watershed of the Middle Fork of the Kaweah River-Crescent Creek from source to High Sierra Trail Bridge at lower Crescent Meadow.

(5) In Kings Canyon National Park, the following waters are closed to fishing as a fish conservation measure, and as protection to domestic water supplies, watersheds, and meadows:

(i) On the watershed of the South Fork of the Kings River-Sheep Creek and its tributaries from source to the park boundary.

2. Paragraph (a) of § 20.11 Lassen Volcanic National Park, is amended to read as follows:

§ 20.11 Lassen Volcanic National Park—(a) *Fishing; open season.* In all waters open to fishing, the season shall be in accordance with that established by the State of California.

3. Paragraph (a) (1) of § 20.16 Yosemite National Park, is amended to read as follows:

§ 20.16 Yosemite National Park—(a) *Fishing.* (1) Open season: May 27 to October 15, inclusive.

4. Section 20.26 Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park, is revoked.

5. A new § 20.46 is added, reading as follows:

§ 20.46 Katmai National Monument—(a) *Fishing.* Fishing is permitted only with artificial lures. Each such artificial lure may consist of not more than two flies or not more than one plug, spoon, or spinner, to which may be attached not more than two single hooks; except that in Brooks River and in all waters within 100 yards of its inlet and outlet the lures shall be restricted to not more than two flies.

(1) The limit of catch per person per day shall be 10 fish, but not to exceed 10 pounds and one fish. Possession of more than one day's limit of catch by any person at any one time is prohibited.

6. A new § 20.47 is added, reading as follows:

§ 20.47 Carlsbad Caverns National Park. No person or persons may enter any undevolved cave or cavern within Carlsbad Caverns National Park without prior approval in writing by the Superintendent.

(Sec. 39 Stat. 535, as amended, sec. 209, 48 Stat. 203; 16 U. S. C. 3, 40 U. S. C. 409. Interpret or apply sec. 1, 46 Stat. 315, sec. 1, 47 Stat. 1420, sec. 2, 49 Stat. 666, 49 Stat. 2041.

2. A Camp San Luis Obispo, California, temporary area is added to read:

Name and location (chart)	Description by geographical coordinates	Designated altitudes	Time of designation	Using agency
CAMP COOKE (San Francisco Chart).	N boundary: lat. 35°07'00" N; S boundary: lat. 34°29'00" N; E boundary: long. 125°36'00" W; W boundary: long. 125° 37' 30" W.	Surface to 39,000 feet.	Continuous from June 25, 1950, to July 9, 1950, inclusive; and from July 16, 1950, to July 30, 1950, inclusive; and from Aug. 21, 1950 to Aug. 27, 1950, inclusive.	California National Guard.

3. A Hunter-Liggett Military Reservation, California, temporary area is added to read:

Name and location (chart)	Description by geographical coordinates	Designated altitudes	Time of designation	Using agency
HUNTER-LIGGETT MILITARY RESERVATION (San Francisco Chart).	Beginning at lat. 35°39'00" N; long. 125°09'30" W; due S to lat. 35°49'30" N; due S to long. 125°24'15" W; due N to lat. 36°04'05" N; due E to long. 125°06'00" W; SE to lat. 35°59'00" N; long. 125°00'20" W, point of beginning.	Surface to 19,000 feet.	Continuous from July 3, 1950, to July 9, 1950, inclusive; and from Aug. 21, 1950, to Aug. 27, 1950, inclusive.	California National Guard.

4. A Dillon, Montana, temporary area is added to read:

Name and location (chart)	Description by geographical coordinates	Designated altitudes	Time of designation	Using agency
DILLON (Yellowstone Park Chart).	N boundary: lat. 45°07'30" N; S boundary: lat. 45°00'00" N; E boundary: long. 112°55'00" W; W boundary: long. 112°10'00" W.	Surface to 17,000 feet.	0800 to 1600, daily, from June 10, 1950, through June 24, 1950.	Montana State National Guard, Helena, Mont.

5. A Warrenton, Oregon, temporary area is added to read:

Name and location (chart)	Description by geographical coordinates	Designated altitudes	Time of designation	Using agency
WARRENTON (Seattle and Portland Charts).	Beginning at lat. 46°19'04" N; long. 123°55'45" W; due S to lat. 45°59'00" N; due W to a point 3 nautical miles from the shoreline at long. 123°00' 30" W; northerly paralleling the shoreline at a distance of 3 nautical miles to lat. 45°19' 04" N; long. 123°00'00" W; due E to lat. 45°10'04" N, long. 123°55'45" W, point of beginning.	Mean sea level to 60,000 feet.	Daylight hours, from June 10, 1950, through June 24, 1950.	Oregon and Washington State National Guards stationed at Camp Chase, Oreg.

as amended, 50 Stat. 804, sec. 5, 52 Stat. 29, secs. 1, 2, 52 Stat. 407, 408, sec. 2, 54 Stat. 250, sec. 3, 56 Stat. 138; 16 U. S. C. 118, 9a, 462, 460a-2, 445c, 4031, 460, 460a, 460a-3, 406g)

Issued this 1st day of June 1950.

[SEAL]

OSCAR L. CHAPMAN,
Secretary of the Interior.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4955; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:45 a. m.]

TITLE 42—PUBLIC HEALTH

Chapter I—Public Health Service, Federal Security Agency

PART 21—COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

SUBPART Q—FOREIGN SERVICE ALLOWANCES

Effective May 1, 1950, Appendix A is amended as follows:

	Subsistence	Quarters	Total	Travel
<i>Australia</i>				
Deleted from Class XVII and placed in Class L.....	{ None None	{ \$1.75 None	{ \$1.75 None	{ \$7.00 7.00
<i>France</i>				
Deleted from Class XVIII and placed in Class VII.....	{ \$3.00 3.75	{ None 1.00	{ 3.00 4.75	{ 7.00 8.00
<i>Greece</i>				
Deleted from Special Classification D and placed in Class XIV.....	{ 8.25 6.00	{ 3.75 1.50	{ 12.00 7.50	{ 12.00 10.00
<i>India</i>				
Deleted from Class XII and placed in Class II.....	{ 4.50 2.55	{ 1.50 2.50	{ 6.00 5.05	{ 9.00 8.00
<i>Iraq</i>				
Deleted from Class XIII and placed in Class XX.....	{ 8.25 3.75	{ 1.75 2.00	{ 7.00 5.75	{ 10.00 10.00
<i>Netherlands</i>				
Deleted from Class V and placed in Class I.....	{ 3.00 None	{ 1.00 None	{ 4.00 None	{ 7.00 7.00
<i>New Zealand</i>				
Deleted from Class XVII and placed in Class L.....	{ None None	{ 1.75 None	{ 1.75 None	{ 7.00 7.00
<i>Palestine and Transjordan</i>				
Remains in Special Classification A; however, Special Classification A has been revised as follows: Effective May 1, 1950, Special Classification A.....	{ 6.00	{ 4.00	{ 10.00	{ 13.00
<i>Rangoon</i>				
Deleted from Class XIV and placed in Class XX.....	{ 6.00 3.75	{ 1.50 2.00	{ 7.50 5.75	{ 10.00 10.00

(Sec. 215, 58 Stat. 690; 42 U. S. C. 216)

Dated: June 1, 1950.

[SEAL]

Approved: June 6, 1950.

OSCAR R. EWING,
Federal Security Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-5002; Filed, June 9, 1950; 8:51 a. m.]

LEONARD A. SCHEELE,
Surgeon General.

NOTICES

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

[Public Notice 49]

DIRECTOR, MUTUAL DEFENSE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

ORGANIZATION

In accordance with the requirements of section 3 (a) (1) of the Administrative Procedure Act (5 U. S. C. 1002; 60 Stat. 238), Public Notice 34 (15 F. R. 1461) is amended by adding the following organizational unit:

DIRECTOR, MUTUAL DEFENSE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Director of the Mutual Defense Assistance Program acts for the Secretary of State in the development and execution of mutual defense assistance programs, providing policy direction

within the Department and policy coordination among the Departments of State and Defense and the Economic Cooperation Administration. He directs and coordinates overseas activities relating to the Program, as well as negotiations leading to international agreements on military assistance, and integrates the Program with over-all foreign policy toward the achievement of a proper relationship between foreign economic measures and defense plans.

Issued: June 6, 1950.

For the Secretary of State.

J. CARNEY HOWELL,
Director,
Office of Management and Budget.

[F. R. Doc. 50-5003; Filed, June 9, 1950;

8:51 a. m.]

[Public Notice 50]

FIELD ORGANIZATION

Pursuant to the requirements of section 3 (a) (1) of the Administrative Procedure Act (5 U. S. C. 1002; 60 Stat. 238), the Field Organization of the Department of State, as published in the Federal Register for May 3, 1950 (15 F. R. 2498), is amended as follows:

The Foreign Service Office at St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, was incorrectly listed as a Consulate General. This office has the rank and status of Consulate. The following Consulates General in China were officially closed on the dates indicated:

Peiping—April 10, 1950.
Tientsin—April 14, 1950.
Shanghai—April 25, 1950.

Issued: June 6, 1950.

For the Secretary of State.

J. CARNEY HOWELL,
Director,
Office of Management and Budget.

[F. R. Doc. 50-5004; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:52 a. m.]

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Rural Electrification Administration

[Administrative Order 2670]

SOUTH CAROLINA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 16, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
South Carolina 31R Horry..... \$25,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4967; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:46 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2671]

ALABAMA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 16, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Alabama 28K Chambers..... \$540,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4968; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:46 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2672]

GEORGIA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 16, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Georgia 70W Mitchell.....	\$140,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4969; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:46 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2673]

WYOMING

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 16, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Wyoming 21E Carbon.....	\$155,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4970; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:46 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2674]

SOUTH CAROLINA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 16, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
South Carolina 32N Calhoun.....	\$30,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4971; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:46 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2675]

ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR LOANS

MAY 16, 1950.

Inasmuch as Southwest Electric Cooperative has transferred certain of its properties and assets to Webster Electric Cooperative, and Webster Electric Cooperative has assumed in part the indebtedness to United States of America, of Southwest Electric Cooperative, arising out of loans made by United States of America pursuant to the Rural Elec-

trification Act of 1936, as amended, I hereby amend:

(a) Administrative Order No. 631, dated October 15, 1941, by changing the project designation appearing therein as "Missouri 2053C1 Polk" in the amount of \$300,000 to read "Missouri 2053C1 Polk" in the amount of \$200,896.14 and "Missouri 66 Webster (Missouri 2053C1 Polk)" in the amount of \$99,103.86.

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4972; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:46 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2676]

ARKANSAS

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 17, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Arkansas 12M Miller.....	\$415,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4973; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:46 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2677]

ILLINOIS

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 17, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Illinois 43T Pulaski.....	\$545,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4974; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:46 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2678]

COLORADO

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 17, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Colorado 29N Phillips.....	\$652,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4975; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:46 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2679]

ARKANSAS

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 17, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Arkansas 21U Lincoln.....	\$50,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4976; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2680]

NORTH CAROLINA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 17, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
North Carolina 52K Cumberland.....	\$1,160,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4977; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2681]

OKLAHOMA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 17, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation:	Amount
Oklahoma 26T Harmon.....	\$220,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4978; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2682]

MONTANA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 18, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the

Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Montana 13H Flathead..... \$170,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4979; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2683]

MISSOURI

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 18, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Missouri 66G, H Webster..... \$325,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4980; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2684]

FLORIDA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 18, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Florida 26L Hardee..... \$310,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4981; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2685]

IOWA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 19, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Iowa 15L Harrison..... \$35,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4982; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2686]

MINNESOTA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 19, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Minnesota 4K Lake..... \$110,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4983; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2687]

OHIO

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 19, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Ohio 56G Lorain..... \$185,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4984; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2688]

ILLINOIS

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 19, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Illinois 12P Bureau..... \$425,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4985; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2689]

OKLAHOMA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 19, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Ad-

Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Oklahoma 14R Love..... \$170,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4986; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:47 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2690]

SOUTH DAKOTA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 19, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
South Dakota 11K Pennington.... \$190,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4987; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:48 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2691]

INDIANA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 19, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Indiana 42P Parke..... \$160,000

[SEAL] CLAUDE R. WICKARD,
Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4988; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:48 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2692]

OKLAHOMA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 22, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Oklahoma 27R, S Bryan..... \$955,000

[SEAL] GEORGE W. HAGGARD,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4989; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:48 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2693]

SOUTH CAROLINA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 23, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
South Carolina 38M Oconee.... \$1,030,000

[SEAL] GEORGE W. HAGGARD,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4990; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:48 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2694]

SOUTH DAKOTA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 23, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
South Dakota 40B Perkins.... \$1,095,000

[SEAL] GEORGE W. HAGGARD,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4991; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:48 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2695]

FLORIDA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 23, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
Florida 14AB Clay..... \$200,000

[SEAL] GEORGE W. HAGGARD,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4992; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:48 a. m.]

[Administrative Order 2696]

SOUTH CAROLINA

LOAN ANNOUNCEMENT

MAY 23, 1950.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Rural Electrification Act of 1936, as amended, a loan contract bearing the following designation has been signed on behalf of the Government acting through the Ad-

No. 112—2

Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration:

Loan designation: Amount
South Carolina 41H York..... \$350,000

[SEAL] GEORGE W. HAGGARD,
Acting Administrator.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4993; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:48 a. m.]

CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD

[Docket No. 4330]

BRANIFF AIRWAYS, INC., ET AL.

NOTICE OF HEARING

In the matter of the charges for excess baggage proposed by Braniff Airways, Inc., Continental Air Lines, Inc., and Pioneer Air Lines, Inc., pursuant to certain revised pages of Agent M. P. Redfern's Local and Joint Passenger Rules Tariff No. PR-2, C. A. B. No. 12.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, as amended, that hearing in the above-entitled proceeding is assigned to be held on June 21, 1950, at 10:00 a. m., e. d. s. t., in Wing "C", Room 116, Temporary Building No. 5, Sixteenth Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, D. C., before Examiner Richard A. Walsh.

Dated at Washington, D. C., June 6, 1950.

By the Civil Aeronautics Board.

[SEAL] M. C. MULLIGAN,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4985; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:45 a. m.]

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[Docket No. 8381]

GILA BROADCASTING Co.

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATION FOR HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In re application of Gila Broadcasting Company, Winslow, Arizona, for construction permit; Docket No. 8381, File No. BP-5406.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission, held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950;

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application which requests a permit to construct a new standard broadcast station to operate on frequency 1010 kilocycles, with 1 kilowatt power, unlimited time at Winslow, Arizona, employing a directional antenna day and night;

It appearing, that, the applicant is legally, technically, financially and otherwise qualified to construct and operate the proposed station, but that the application may involve interference with one or more existing stations and otherwise not comply with the Standards of Good Engineering Practice;

It is ordered, That, pursuant to section 309 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the said application is designated for hearing com-

mencing at 10:00 a. m. on November 3, 1950, at Washington, D. C., upon the following issues:

1. To determine whether the operation of the proposed station would involve objectionable interference with the new Mexican notification at Agua Prieta, Sonora, or with any other existing foreign broadcast station and, if so, the nature and extent of such interference.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS

COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-5005; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:52 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 9360, 9568]

LAKE HURON BROADCASTING Co. (WKNX) AND WKMH, INC.

ORDER ENLARGING ISSUES

In re applications of O. J. Kelchner, William J. Edwards and Howard H. Wolfe d/b as Lake Huron Broadcasting Company (WKNX), Saginaw, Michigan, Docket No. 9360, File No. BP-6447; WKMH, Incorporated, Jackson, Michigan, Docket No. 9568, File No. BP-7477; for construction permits.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission, held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950;

The Commission having under consideration a petition, filed May 26, 1950, by WICA, Inc., licensee of Radio Station WICA, Ashtabula, Ohio, to enlarge the issues in the above-consolidated proceeding to include the programming of station WICA;

It appearing, that the type and character of the WICA program service in the alleged interference area is proper for consideration in determining whether a grant of either of the above-entitled applications would be in the public interest;

It further appearing, that the other parties to this proceeding have agreed to an enlargement of the issues and likewise have waived the provisions of § 1.730 of the Commission's rules;

It is ordered, That the provisions of §§ 1.389 and 1.730 of the Commission's rules are waived in this instance and the Commission's order of June 22, 1949, as amended, is amended to include the following issue: To determine the type and character of program service presently rendered by Station WICA, Ashtabula, Ohio.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS

COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-5007; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:52 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 9393, 9610]

KWHK BROADCASTING Co., INC. (KWHK) ET AL.

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATIONS FOR CONSOLIDATED HEARING ON AMENDED ISSUES

In re applications of KWHK Broadcasting Company, Inc. (KWHK), Hutch-

inson, Kansas, Docket No. 9393, File No. BP-6831, for construction permit; James E. Murray, Vern Minor and Dorothy C. Murray (Transferors), The Hutchinson Publishing Company (Transferee), for consent to transfer of control of KWHK Broadcasting Company, Inc., licensee of Station KWHK, Hutchinson, Kansas, Docket No. 9610, File No. BTC-869.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission, held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950;

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application of KWHK Broadcasting Company, Inc., for a construction permit to change the facilities of Station KWHK, Hutchinson, Kansas, from frequency 1,190 kilocycles, 1 kilowatt power, daytime only to frequency 1,260 kilocycles, 1 kilowatt power, unlimited time and to install a directional antenna for day and night use and also having under consideration the above-entitled application for transfer of control of Station KWHK;

It appearing, that the said application for construction permit was designated for hearing by Commission order of July 20, 1949, in a consolidated proceeding with the application of The Hutchinson Publishing Company for a permit to construct a new standard broadcast station at Hutchinson, Kansas and that petition for dismissal of the latter application without prejudice was granted on February 27, 1950; and

It further appearing, that the said application for transfer of control was designated for hearing by Commission order of March 20, 1950, and that hearing on this application is presently scheduled to commence on July 18, 1950, at Hutchinson, Kansas; and

It further appearing, that the applicant as presently constituted is legally, technically, financially and otherwise qualified to operate Station KWHK as proposed in the above-entitled application for construction permit, but that the application may involve interference with one or more existing stations and otherwise not comply with the Standards of Good Engineering Practice;

It is ordered, That, on the Commission's own motion the hearings on the above-entitled applications are consolidated into one proceeding to be held at Hutchinson, Kansas, on July 18, 1950; and

It is further ordered, That, the issues in the Commission's orders of July 20, 1949, and of March 20, 1950, designating the said applications for hearing are amended to be as follows:

1. To determine the legal, technical, financial and other qualifications of The Hutchinson Publishing Company to own and control Station KWHK and to construct and operate Station KWHK as proposed.

2. To determine the overlap, if any, that will exist between the service areas of Station KWHK operating as presently licensed and operating as proposed and the service areas of Stations KSAL and KFBI.

3. To determine the nature and extent of common ownership, operation, financ-

ing and direction of Stations KWHK, KSAL and KFBI that will exist, if any, in the event of a grant of the above-entitled application for transfer of control.

4. To determine whether, on the basis of information adduced pursuant to issues 2 and 3, a grant of the above-entitled application for transfer of control would contravene the provisions of § 3.35 of the Commission's rules and regulations.

5. To determine whether, in the light of the evidence adduced under issues 1, 2, 3 and 4, a grant of the above-entitled application for consent to transfer of control of Station KWHK would be in the public interest.

6. To determine the areas and populations which may be expected to gain or lose primary service from the operation of Station KWHK as proposed in the above-entitled application for construction permit and the character of other broadcast service available to those areas and populations.

7. To determine whether the operation of Station KWHK as proposed in the above-entitled application for construction permit would involve objectionable interference with Station KAKE, Wichita, Kansas, or with any other existing United States broadcast stations and, if so, the nature and extent thereof, and the availability of other broadcast service to such areas and populations.

8. To determine whether the operation of Station KWHK as proposed in the above-entitled application for construction permit would involve objectionable interference with Station XEMF, Monclova, Coahuila, Mexico, or with any other existing foreign broadcast stations and, if so, whether such interference would be in contravention of any international agreement or the Commission's rules and standards.

9. To determine whether the operation of Station KWHK as proposed in the above-entitled application for construction permit would involve objectionable interference with the services proposed in any other pending applications for broadcast facilities and, if so, the nature and extent thereof, the areas and populations affected thereby, and the availability of other broadcast service to such areas and populations.

10. To determine whether the installation and operation of Station KWHK as proposed in the above-entitled application for construction permit would be in compliance with the Commission's rules and Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Standard Broadcast Stations.

It is further ordered, That, KAKE Broadcasting Company, Incorporated, licensee of Station KAKE, Wichita, Kansas, is a party to this proceeding with reference to those issues relating to the application for construction permit only.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket Nos. 9402-9405, 9468, 9469]

KMPC, STATION OF THE STARS, INC., ET AL.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of G. A. Richards Transferor, and Harry J. Klinger, Lawrence P. Fisher and John A. Hannah Transferees for consent to the transfer of control of KMPC, The Station of the Stars, Inc., Los Angeles, California; Docket No. 9402, File No. BTC-756; WJR, The Goodwill Station, Inc., Detroit, Michigan; Docket No. 9403, File No. BTC-754; WGAR Broadcasting Company, Cleveland, Ohio; Docket No. 9404, File No. BTC-755; KMPC, The Station of the Stars, Los Angeles, California; for renewal of license of Radio Station KMPC, Los Angeles, California; Docket No. 9468, File No. BR-18; WJR, The Goodwill Station, Inc., Detroit, Michigan; for renewal of license of Radio Station WJR, Detroit, Michigan; Docket No. 9469, File No. BR-331; WGAR Broadcasting Company, Cleveland, Ohio; for renewal of license of Radio Station WGAR, Cleveland, Ohio; Docket No. 9405, File No. BR-283.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission held in its offices in Washington, D. C., on June 5, 1950;

Whereas, the Commission is informed that on June 4, 1950, the examiner at a pre-trial conference ruled that the applicants rather than the Commission should proceed with the introduction of evidence; the Commission is also informed that the General Counsel intends to file an appeal from such ruling of the examiner;

It is ordered, On the Commission's own motion, that the hearing in the above-entitled matter is continued to Wednesday, June 14, 1950, in order to give the Commission an opportunity to rule on such appeal.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-5009; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:52 a. m.]

[Docket Nos. 9439, 9611]

WEST TEXAS BROADCASTERS, INC.,
AND TUL'E BROADCASTING CO.

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATION FOR CONSOLIDATED HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In re applications of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, Floydada, Texas, Docket No. 9611, File No. BP-7222; Francis David Burgess, Robert Olin Lowery, Francis J. Burgess, Allan S. Heard, Walker B. Jones and R. F. McCasland d/b as Tul'e Broadcasting Company, Tulia, Texas, Docket No. 9439, File No. BP-7276; for construction permits.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission, held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950;

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application of Tul'e Broadcasting Company which

requests a permit to construct a new standard broadcast station to operate on frequency 900 kilocycles, with 250 watts power, daytime only at Tulla, Texas, and also having under consideration the petition of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, requesting that its application for modification of construction permit be accepted as an amendment to the above-entitled application of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, which requests a permit to construct a new standard broadcast station to operate on frequency 1570 kilocycles with 250 watts power, daytime only at Plainview, Texas;

It appearing, that the Commission, on October 21, 1949, granted without hearing the above-entitled application of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, and that on March 21, 1950 the petition of Caprock Broadcasting Company for reconsideration of the said action of October 21, 1949, was granted, the grant of the said application set aside, the application designated for hearing and petitioner made a party to the proceeding which is presently scheduled to commence at 10:00 a. m. on June 21, 1950, at Washington, D. C.; and

It further appearing, that the Commission, on March 6, 1950, designated for hearing in a consolidated proceeding the above-entitled application of Tul'e Broadcasting Company and the application of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, for modification of its then outstanding construction permit (File No. BMP-4965, Docket No. 9597) to change frequency from 1570 kilocycles to frequency 900 kilocycles and to change transmitter and studio locations from Plainview, Texas, to Floydada, Texas; and

It further appearing, that in view of the action of March 21, 1950, setting aside the grant of the above-entitled application of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, the Commission on its own motion set aside the action of March 6, 1950, designating for hearing in a consolidated proceeding the applications of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, for modification of construction permit and of Tul'e Broadcasting Company for construction permit, and removed the said applications from the hearing docket;

It is ordered, That the said petition of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, is granted, the amendment is accepted, and that, pursuant to section 309 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the said application of Francis David Burgess, et al., d/b as Tul'e Broadcasting Company, is designated for hearing in a consolidated proceeding with the application of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, as amended, at 10:00 a. m. on June 21, 1950, at Washington, D. C., upon the following issues:

1. To determine the legal, technical, financial, and other qualifications of the applicant corporation, its officers, directors and stockholders and of the applicant partnership and the partners to construct and operate the proposed stations.

2. To determine the areas and populations which may be expected to gain or lose primary service from the operation of the proposed stations and the char-

acter of other broadcast service available to those areas and populations.

3. To determine the type and character of program service proposed to be rendered and whether it would meet the requirements of the populations and areas proposed to be served.

4. To determine whether the operation of the proposed stations would involve objectionable interference with any existing broadcast stations and, if so, the nature and extent thereof, the areas and populations affected thereby, and the availability of other broadcast service to such areas and populations.

5. To determine whether the operation of the proposed stations would involve objectionable interference each with the other or with the services proposed in any other pending applications for broadcast facilities and, if so, the nature and extent thereof, the areas and populations affected thereby, and the availability of other broadcast service to such areas and populations.

6. To determine whether the installation and operation of the proposed stations would be in compliance with the Commission's rules and Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Standard Broadcast Stations.

7. To determine the overlap, if any, that will exist between the service areas of the operation proposed in the application of Marshall Formby (File No. BP-7577) for a permit to construct a new standard broadcast station at Spur, Texas, and the operation proposed in the above-entitled application of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated, the nature and extent thereof, and whether such overlap, if any, is in contravention of § 3.35 of the Commission's rules.

8. To determine on a comparative basis which, if either, of the applications in this consolidated proceeding should be granted.

It is further ordered, That the order of the Commission dated March 21, 1950, designating the above-entitled application of West Texas Broadcasters, Incorporated for hearing, is amended to include the application of Francis David Burgess et al., d/b as Tul'e Broadcasting Company and to revise the issues therein to include and conform with all issues specified herein; and

It is further ordered, That Caprock Broadcasting Company, licensee of Station KCBQ, Lubbock, Texas, is removed as a party respondent to the proceeding.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket Nos. 9535, 9678, 9679]

CAPITOL BROADCASTING CORP. (WCAW)
ET AL.

ORDER AMENDING ORDER DESIGNATING APPLI-
CATIONS FOR HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In re applications of Capitol Broad-
casting Corporation (WCAW), Charles-
ton, West Virginia, Docket No. 9535, File
No. BP-6805; Kanawha Valley Broad-

casting Company (WGKV), Charleston,
West Virginia, Docket No. 9678, File No.
BP-7614; Fayetteville Broadcasters, Inc.
(WFLB), Fayetteville, North Carolina,
Docket No. 9679, File No. BP-7168; for
construction permits.

At a session of the Federal Communi-
cations Commission, held at its offices in
Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of
June 1950;

The Commission having under consid-
eration its action of May 18, 1950, desig-
nating for hearing the above-entitled
applications;

It appearing, that, in the Commission's
order designating the above-entitled ap-
plications for hearing, Cleveland Broad-
casting, Incorporated, licensee of Station
WERE, Cleveland, Ohio, was made a
party respondent with respect to the
application of Kanawha Valley Broad-
casting Company (WGKV).

It further appearing, that, no objec-
tionable interference to Station WERE,
Cleveland, Ohio, would be caused by the
Kanawha Valley Broadcasting Company
(WGKV) proposal;

It is ordered, That, the Commission's
order of May 18, 1950, designating the
above-entitled applications for hearing,
is amended to delete therefrom Cleve-
land Broadcasting, Incorporated, licensee
of Station WERE, Cleveland, Ohio, as a
party respondent.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket Nos. 9565, 9566, 9626]

HENRY LEE TAYLOR ET AL.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In re applications of Henry Lee Taylor,
San Antonio, Texas, Docket No. 9565, File
No. BP-7038; John H. Mayberry, trading
as Winter Garden Broadcasting Com-
pany, Crystal City, Texas, Docket No.
9566, File No. BP-7255; Leslie C. Smith,
B. G. Moffet and J. H. Mayberry, a part-
nership d/b as Community Broadcasting
Company, Corpus Christi, Texas, Docket
No. 9626, File No. BMP-5034; for con-
struction permits and for modification
of construction permit.

The Commission having under consid-
eration a petition filed May 29, 1950,
by Henry Lee Taylor, applicant in Docket
No. 9565, requesting a continuance of the
above-entitled proceeding for a period
of 90 days; and

It appearing that the reason for the
requested continuance is to permit addi-
tional time within which to effect an
amendment to his presently pending ap-
plication which if filed and granted
would remove his application from the
consolidated proceeding; and

It appearing that counsel for the two
competing applicants in Dockets 9566
and 9626 has consented to a continuance
for a period of approximately 30 days,
the General Counsel having consented to
such continuance and to waive the provi-
sions of § 1.745 of the Commission's rules
insofar as it requires that pleadings

should be on file for a period of 4 days before being acted on, and good cause having been shown for the requested continuance;

It is ordered, This the 2d day of June, 1950, that the hearing in the above-entitled consolidated proceeding be continued from June 5, 1950, to July 10, 1950, at 10:00 a. m. in the offices of the Commission at Washington, D. C.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS

COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 9647]

GRAHAM BROTHERS, INC.

ORDER CONTINUING HEARING

In the matter of application of Graham Brothers, Inc., Los Angeles, California, for authorization in the Special Industrial Radio Service, File Nos. 6393-D4-ML-E and 3296-D4-P-E; Docket No. 9647.

The Commission having under consideration a petition filed June 1, 1950, by its General Counsel, requesting an indefinite continuance of the hearing in the above-entitled matter; and

It appearing, that all parties to the above proceeding have consented to a grant of this petition and to a waiver of § 1.745 of the Commission's rules and regulations to permit the early consideration of this request;

It is ordered, That on this 2d day of June 1950, the petition is granted; and that the hearing in the above-entitled matter is continued indefinitely.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 9694]

STATION KSFE

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATION FOR
HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In the matter of the renewal of license of Station KSFE, Needles, California; Docket No. 9694, File No. BR-2037.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission, held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 31st day of May 1950;

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application of Oscar D. Shelley, tr/as Shelley Radio Electric Company, requesting a renewal of license for the frequency 1340 kc., 250 watts power, unlimited time, at Needles, California; and

It appearing, that on the basis of an investigation conducted by the Commission and from facts appearing in the Commission files, including an application for assignment of the license of Station KSFE from Shelley to Reed (BAL-958), that an unauthorized assignment of the license of Station KSFE

occurred on or about January 8, 1950; and

It further appearing, that on the basis of all the facts before it the Commission is unable to conclude that a grant of the renewal of license of Station KSFE would be in the public interest, convenience and necessity;

It is ordered, That, pursuant to sections 307 (d) and 309 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the above-entitled application is designated for hearing commencing at 10:00 a. m. on August 14, 1950, at Needles, California, upon the following issues:

1. To determine the legal, technical, financial and other qualifications of Oscar D. Shelley, tr/as Shelley Radio Electric Company, to continue to operate Station KSFE, and more particularly to obtain full information relating to:

(a) The circumstances leading up to and surrounding the ownership of 49% of Station KSFE by Floyd K. Reed between November 9, 1948, and May 21, 1949;

(b) The contract, dated May 21, 1949, entered into between the licensee of Station KSFE and Floyd K. Reed relative to a mortgage of all the physical property used in the operation of the station;

(c) The contract, dated December 5, 1949, between the licensee of Station KSFE and Floyd K. Reed under which Reed was to purchase Station KSFE;

(d) The operation of Station KSFE subsequent to January 8, 1950, by Floyd K. Reed;

(e) The authority and control exercised by Floyd K. Reed over the policies and operation of Station KSFE from November 9, 1948 to date;

(f) The disposition, since November 9, 1948, of income received from the operation of Station KSFE and the authority for such disposition;

(g) The proposed program plans of Oscar D. Shelley, tr/as Shelley Radio Electric Company, and whether they meet the requirements of the populations and areas proposed to be served.

2. To determine whether the license for Station KSFE, or the rights and responsibilities incident thereto, have been transferred, assigned or disposed of, directly or indirectly, without the consent of the Commission and in violation of section 310 (b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

3. To determine whether Station KSFE has been operated by persons to whom no license has been issued by this Commission in violation of section 301 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 9695]

ROBERT HECKSHER

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATION FOR
HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In re application of Robert Hecksher, Ft. Myers, Florida, for construction permit; Docket No. 9695, File No. BP-7582.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950;

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application of Robert Hecksher for a construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to operate on 1,400 kc., with 250 watts power, unlimited time at Ft. Myers, Florida.

It appearing, that the applicant is legally, technically, financially and otherwise qualified to operate the proposed station, but that the application may involve interference with one or more existing stations and otherwise not comply with the Standards of Good Engineering Practice;

It is ordered, That, pursuant to section 309 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the said application is designated for hearing commencing at 10:00 a. m. on October 31, 1950, at Washington, D. C., upon the following issues:

1. To determine the areas and populations which may be expected to gain or lose primary service from the operation of the proposed station, and the character of other broadcast service available to such areas and populations.

2. To determine whether the operation of the proposed station would involve objectionable interference with Station WFTL, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, or with any other existing broadcast stations, and, if so, the nature and extent thereof, the areas and populations affected thereby, and the availability of other broadcast service to such areas and populations.

3. To determine whether the installation and operation of the proposed station would be in compliance with the Commission's rules and Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Standard Broadcast Stations.

It is further ordered, That Gore Publishing Company, licensee of Station WFTL, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, is made a party to this proceeding.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 9696]

RADIO SUMTER

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATION FOR
HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In re application of J. A. Gallimore and Hugh H. Wells, a partnership d/b as Radio Sumter, Sumter, South Carolina, for construction permit; Docket No. 9696, File No. BP-7617.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950;

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application for a construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated unlimited time on 1240 kc with 250 watts power at Sumter, South Carolina.

It appearing that the applicant is legally, technically, financially and otherwise qualified to operate the proposed station, but that the application may involve interference with one or more existing stations and otherwise not comply with the Standards of Good Engineering Practice;

It is ordered, That, pursuant to section 309 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the said application is designated for hearing commencing at 10:00 a. m., on November 1, 1950, at Washington D. C., upon the following issues:

1. To determine the areas and populations which may be expected to gain or lose primary service from the operation of the proposed station, and the character of other broadcast service available to such areas and populations.

2. To determine whether the operation of the proposed station would involve objectionable interference with Station WKDK, Newberry, South Carolina, or with any other existing broadcast stations, and, if so, the nature and extent thereof, the areas and populations affected thereby, and the availability of other broadcast service to such areas and populations.

3. To determine whether the installation and operation of the proposed station would be in compliance with the Commission's rules and Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Standard Broadcast Stations.

It is further ordered, That the Newberry Broadcasting Company, Inc., licensee of Station WKDK, Newberry, South Carolina, is made a party to this proceeding.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 9697]

GREEN BAY NEWSPAPER CO. (WJPG)

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATION FOR
HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In re: application of Green Bay Newspaper Company (WJPG), Green Bay, Wisconsin, for construction permit; Docket No. 9697, File No. BP-7422.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950:

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application of the Green Bay Newspaper Company for a construction permit to change frequency from 810 kc. to 1440 kc., increase hours of operation from daytime only to unlimited and install directional antenna systems for daytime and nighttime use at Station WJPG, Green Bay, Wisconsin;

It appearing, that the applicant is legally, technically, financially and otherwise qualified to operate Station WJPG as proposed, that no additional interference would be caused to any existing or proposed station but that the pro-

posed station may not comply with the Standards of Good Engineering Practice;

It is ordered, That, pursuant to section 309 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the said application is designated for hearing commencing at 10:00 a. m. on November 6, 1950, at Washington, D. C., upon the following issues:

1. To determine the areas and populations which may be expected to gain or lose primary service from the operation of Station WJPG as proposed and the character of other broadcast service available to those areas and populations.

2. To determine whether the installation and operation of the proposed station would be in compliance with the Commission's rules and Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Standard Broadcast Stations, with particular reference to (1) nighttime coverage to the City of Green Bay, Wisconsin, and (2) the relative percentage of population residing in the area between the normally protected and the interference-free contours and the population residing in the actual primary service area.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 9698]

LEAVENWORTH BROADCASTING CO., INC.
(KCLO)

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATION FOR
HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In re application of The Leavenworth Broadcasting Company, Inc. (KCLO), Leavenworth, Kansas, for modification of license; Docket No. 9698, File No. BML-1407.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission, held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950:

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application requesting a modification of license to increase the power of Station KCLO, Leavenworth, Kansas, to 1 kilowatt; and

It appearing, that the applicant is legally, technically, financially, and otherwise qualified to operate Station KCLO, as proposed, but that the application may involve interference with one or more existing stations and otherwise not comply with the Standards of Good Engineering Practice;

It is ordered, That, pursuant to section 309 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the said application is designated for hearing in Washington D. C., at 10:00 a. m. on the 8th day of November 1950, upon the following issues:

1. To determine the areas and populations which may be expected to gain or lose primary service from the operation of Station KCLO, as proposed, and the character of other broadcast service available to those areas and populations.

2. To determine whether the operation of Station KCLO, as proposed,

would involve objectionable interference with stations KTSW, Emporia, Kansas; KWBB, Wichita, Kansas; KJCK, Junction City, Kansas, or with any other existing broadcast stations and, if so, the nature and extent thereof, the areas and populations affected thereby, and the availability of other broadcast service to such areas and populations.

3. To determine whether the installation and operation of Station KCLO, as proposed, would be in compliance with the Commission's rules and Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Standard Broadcast Stations with particular reference to the percentage of population residing within the 250 mv/m and 500 mv/m blanket contours.

It is further ordered, That, Emporia Broadcasting Co., Inc., licensee of Station KTSW, Emporia, Kansas; Louis Levand, Max Levand and John Levand d/b as The Wichita Beacon Broadcasting Company, permittee of Station KWBB, Wichita, Kansas, and Ralph L. Weir, Jr. and Richard P. Meek d/b as Junction City Broadcasting Company, licensee of Station KJCK, Junction City, Kansas, are made parties to this proceeding.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 9699]

CHAMPION CITY BROADCASTING CO.
(WJEL)

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATION FOR
HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In re application of Champion City Broadcasting Company (WJEL), Springfield, Ohio, for construction permit; Docket No. 9699, File No. BP-6642.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950:

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application for a construction permit to change operation from 500 watts, daytime only to unlimited time with 1 kw power daytime, 500 watts night, with different directional antennas for night and day, and to change transmitter and studio locations;

It appearing, that the applicant is legally, technically, financially and otherwise qualified to operate Station WJEL as proposed but that the application may involve interference with one or more existing stations and otherwise not comply with the Standards of Good Engineering Practice;

It is ordered, That, pursuant to section 309 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the said application is designated for hearing commencing at 10:00 a. m. on November 9, 1950, at Washington, D. C., upon the following issues:

1. To determine the areas and populations which may be expected to gain or lose primary service from the opera-

tion of the proposed station, and the character of other broadcast service available to such areas and populations.

2. To determine whether the operation of the proposed station would involve objectionable interference with Station WHRV, Ann Arbor, Michigan; Station KCRG, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Station WBAT, Marion, Ohio; or with any other existing broadcast stations, or with the State of Illinois Police Department Communications System, and, if so, the nature and extent thereof, the areas and populations affected thereby, and the availability of other broadcast service to such areas and populations.

3. To determine whether the installation and operation of the proposed stations would be in compliance with the Commission's rules and Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Standard Broadcast Stations.

It is further ordered, That Huron Valley Broadcasters, Inc., licensee of Station WHRV, Ann Arbor, Michigan; The Gazette Company, licensee of Station KCRG, Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Marion Radio Corporation, licensee of Station WBAT, Marion, Indiana; and the State of Illinois, Department of Police, licensee of the State of Illinois Police Department Communications System, Springfield, Illinois, are made parties to this proceeding.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

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[Docket No. 9700]

SOUTHERN TIER RADIO SERVICE, INC.
(WINR)

ORDER DESIGNATING APPLICATION FOR
HEARING ON STATED ISSUES

In re application of Southern Tier Radio Service, Inc. (WINR) Binghamton, New York, for construction permit; Docket No. 9700, File No. BP-7619.

At a session of the Federal Communications Commission, held at its offices in Washington, D. C., on the 1st day of June 1950;

The Commission having under consideration the above-entitled application requesting a construction permit to change the facilities of Station WINR, Binghamton, New York, from 1490 kc. 250 watts power, unlimited time to 680 kc, with power of 500 w-1 kw-LS, using a directional antenna both day and night;

It appearing, that the applicant is legally, technically, financially and otherwise qualified to operate Station WINR as proposed but that the application may involve interference with one or more existing stations and otherwise not comply with the Standards of Good Engineering Practice;

It is ordered, That, pursuant to section 309 (a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the said application is designated for hearing at Washington, D. C., at 10:00 a. m. on the 10th day of

November 1950, upon the following issues:

1. To determine the areas and populations which may be expected to gain or lose primary service from the operation of Station WINR as proposed and the character of other broadcast service available to those areas and populations.

2. To determine whether the operation of Station WINR, as proposed, would involve objectionable interference with Station WKOP, Binghamton, New York, due to second harmonic radiation and, if so, the nature and extent thereof, the areas and populations affected thereby, and the availability of other broadcast service to such areas and populations.

3. To determine whether the installation and operation of Station WINR, as proposed, would be in compliance with the Commission's rules and Standards of Good Engineering Practice Concerning Standard Broadcast Stations with particular reference to the nighttime coverage of the Binghamton metropolitan area, and the areas and populations which will receive satisfactory service.

4. To determine the overlap, if any, that will exist between the service areas of the proposed station and of stations WSYR, Syracuse, New York and WNDR, Syracuse, New York, the nature and extent thereof, and whether such overlap, if any, is in contravention of § 3.35 of the Commission's rules.

It is further ordered, That Binghamton Broadcasters, Inc., licensee of Station WKOP, Binghamton, New York, is made a party to this proceeding.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS
COMMISSION,

[SEAL] T. J. SLOWIE,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-5017; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:53 a. m.]

FEDERAL POWER COMMISSION

[Docket No. E-6287]

GULF STATES UTILITIES CO.

NOTICE OF SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING ISSUANCE OF BONDS

JUNE 7, 1950.

Notice is hereby given that, on June 6, 1950, the Federal Power Commission issued its order entered June 5, 1950, supplementing order of May 19, 1950, published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on May 27, 1950 (15 F. R. 3296), authorizing and approving issuance of bonds in the above-designated matter.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4998; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:49 a. m.]

[Docket No. G-1398]

NORTHERN NATURAL GAS CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

JUNE 7, 1950.

Take notice that Northern Natural Gas Company (Applicant), a Delaware corporation, with office at Omaha, Nebraska, filed on May 25, 1950, an applica-

tion for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended, authorizing Applicant to construct and operate approximately 8.1 miles of 3½-inch gas transmission line at a point on Applicant's Garden City to Bushton main line, together with a regulator station, for the sale of natural gas to Applicant's affiliate Peoples Natural Gas Company, (Peoples) for service in Jetmore, Kansas.

Applicant states that Peoples received a franchise on April 19, 1950, for distribution of natural gas in Jetmore and Applicant is able to deliver the quantities needed for this service without impairment of service to Applicant's existing contract demand customers. Applicant estimates the needs of the Jetmore service will be 415 Mcf. on a peak day in the fifth year after service is commenced. Applicant proposes to construct the line to Jetmore upon completion of the Garden City to Bushton main line as authorized by the Commission in Docket No. G-1183.

The estimated over-all capital cost of the proposed facilities is \$57,700 which will be financed from funds on hand.

Protests or petitions to intervene may be filed with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., in accordance with the rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.8 or 1.10) on or before the 26th day of June, 1950. The application is on file with the Commission for public inspection.

[SEAL] LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4999; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:49 a. m.]

[Docket No. E-6301]

OHIO VALLEY TRANSMISSION CORP. AND
LOUISVILLE TRANSMISSION CORP.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

JUNE 6, 1950.

Take notice that on June 5, 1950, a joint application was filed with the Federal Power Commission, pursuant to section 203 of the Federal Power Act, by Ohio Valley Transmission Corporation (hereinafter called "Ohio Valley") and Louisville Transmission Corporation (hereinafter called "Louisville"), corporations organized under the laws of the State of Indiana and doing business in said State with each of their principal business offices at Louisville, Kentucky, seeking an order authorizing Ohio Valley to purchase and acquire from Louisville all physical properties now owned by Louisville, including a 138 kv. double circuit steel tower transmission line from the Kentucky-Indiana State line to a connection in Clark County, Indiana, with the 138 kv. transmission line of Ohio Valley, a distance of approximately 10.25 miles, and a 1.37 miles 138 kv. single circuit transmission line installed on steel towers owned by Ohio Valley in Clark County, Indiana, together with all appurtenances thereto, for a consideration equal to the original cost of the properties less the reserve for depreciation, estimated to be \$276,000; all as more fully

appears in the application on file with the Commission.

Any person desiring to be heard or to make any protest with reference to said application should, on or before the 28th day of June, 1950, file with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., a petition or protest in accordance with the Commission's rules of practice and procedure. The application is on file with the Commission for public inspection.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-5000; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:50 a. m.]

[Project No. 2017]

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF LICENSE

JUNE 7, 1950.

Public notice is hereby given that Southern California Edison Company, of Los Angeles, California, has filed application under the Federal Power Act (16 U. S. C. 791a-825r) for amendment of its license for Project No. 2017, known as Big Creek No. 4, on San Joaquin River, in Fresno and Madera Counties, California, to include therein a proposed 220-kilovolt transmission line approximately 132.6 miles long, which would be located in Fresno, Madera, Tulare, and Kern Counties, California, and extend from Big Creek Powerhouse No. 4 to a point of connection with the applicant's interconnected primary transmission system at its Magunden Substation near Bakersfield, California.

Any protest against the approval of this application or request for hearing thereon, with the reason for such protest or request and the name and address of the party or parties so protesting or requesting should be submitted on or before July 19, 1950, to the Federal Power Commission.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-5001; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:50 a. m.]

[Docket No. G-1396]

MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

JUNE 6, 1950.

Take notice that Montana-Dakota Utilities Co. (Applicant) a Delaware corporation with office at Minneapolis, Minnesota, filed on May 24, 1950, an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity pursuant to section 7 of the Natural Gas Act, as amended, authorizing Applicant to construct and operate approximately 99,400 feet of 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch natural gas pipeline extending from the Cabin Creek Compressor plant to Baker compressor plant and approximately 52,000 feet of 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch natural gas pipeline from the Mar-

marth Branch line south to the Little Beaver Compressor plant in the Baker field, all in the State of Montana.

Applicant states that the facilities proposed to be constructed are needed for the transportation of gas from the Worland Field in Wyoming the facilities for which were authorized by the Commission in Docket No. G-1229. The proposed facilities will provide a means for handling the anticipated peak loads and will also provide a separate transmission line between the Cabin Creek and Baker Compressor stations. The existing facilities between the points for the proposed facilities will continue to be operated so that variable proportions of natural gas may be withdrawn from the various units in the Baker field and so that flexible storage operations can be conducted. The facilities described in the application and proposed to be constructed are additional to those facilities believed necessary for efficient operation as contemplated by Applicant in Docket No. G-1229. Applicant states that further studies indicate that the proposed facilities will permit the maximum productive capacity of the pipeline system.

The estimated over-all capital cost of the proposed facilities is \$501,552, which will be financed from cash on hand.

Protests or petitions to intervene may be filed with the Federal Power Commission, Washington 25, D. C., in accordance with the rules of practice and procedure (18 CFR 1.8 or 1.10) on or before the 28th day of June 1950. The application is on file with the Commission for public inspection.

[SEAL]

LEON M. FUQUAY,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4956; Filed, June 9, 1950;
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INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

[4th Sec. Application 25153]

IRON AND STEEL ARTICLES TO MEMPHIS,
TENN.

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

JUNE 7, 1950.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by: R. E. Boyle, Jr., Agent, for and on behalf of carriers parties to Agent C. A. Spaninger's tariff I. C. C. No. 920.

Commodities involved: Iron and steel articles, carloads.

From: Ashland, Ky., Huntington, W. Va., Portsmouth and New Boston, Ohio.
To: Memphis, Tenn.

Grounds for relief: Circuitous routes, market competition and to restore origin points rate relationships.

Schedules filed containing proposed rates: C. A. Spaninger's tariff I. C. C. No. 920, Supplement 172.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15

days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission, Division 2.

[SEAL]

W. P. BARTEL,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4994; Filed, June 9, 1950;
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[4th Sec. Application 25154]

IRON AND STEEL ARTICLES FROM SOUTH TO
ACME, N. C.

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

JUNE 7, 1950.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by: R. E. Boyle, Jr., Agent, for and on behalf of carriers parties to Agent C. A. Spaninger's tariff I. C. C. No. 920.

Commodities involved: Iron and steel articles, carloads.

From: Southern producing points, Ohio River crossings, St. Louis, Mo., southern Ohio group points, Charleston, W. Va., and points taking same rates.
To: Acme, N. C.

Grounds for relief: Circuitous routes. Schedules filed containing proposed rates: C. A. Spaninger's tariff I. C. C. No. 920, Supplement 172.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission, Division 2.

[SEAL]

W. P. BARTEL,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4995; Filed, June 9, 1950;
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[4th Sec. Application 25155]

ROAD BUILDING MATERIAL IN SOUTH
APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

JUNE 7, 1950.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by: R. E. Boyle, Jr., Agent, for and on behalf of carriers parties to Agent C. A. Spaninger's tariff I. C. C. No. 1159.

Commodities involved: Road building material, viz: broken or ground oyster shells, carloads.

Between: Points in southern territory. Grounds for relief: Circuitous routes and analogous commodity.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission, Division 2.

[SEAL]

W. P. BARTEL,
Secretary.[F. R. Doc. 50-4996; Filed, June 9, 1950;
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[4th Sec. Application 25156]

VARIOUS COMMODITIES FROM, TO, AND
BETWEEN POINTS IN SOUTH
APPLICATION FOR RELIEF

JUNE 7, 1950.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by: R. E. Boyle, Jr., Agent, for and on behalf of carriers parties to various tariffs named in the application, pursuant to fourth-section order No. 9800.

Commodities involved: Various commodities.

From, to, and between points in the south.

Grounds for relief: Circuitous routes.

Any interested person desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice. As provided by the general rules of practice of the Commission, Rule 73, persons other than applicants should fairly disclose their interest, and the position they intend to take at the hearing with respect to the

application. Otherwise the Commission, in its discretion, may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing. If because of an emergency a grant of temporary relief is found to be necessary before the expiration of the 15-day period, a hearing, upon a request filed within that period, may be held subsequently.

By the Commission, Division 2.

[SEAL]

W. P. BARTEL,
Secretary.[F. R. Doc. 50-4997; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:49 a. m.]SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE
COMMISSION

[File Nos. 70-2411-70-2414]

UNITED GAS IMPROVEMENT CO. ET AL.

NOTICE REGARDING FILING

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the city of Washington, D. C., on the 5th day of June 1950.

In the matters of The United Gas Improvement Company, Lancaster County Gas Company, File No. 70-2411; The United Gas Improvement Company, The Harrisburg Gas Company, File No. 70-2412; The United Gas Improvement Company, Consumers Gas Company, File No. 70-2413; The United Gas Improvement Company, Allentown-Bethlehem Gas Company, File No. 70-2414.

Notice is hereby given that joint declarations have been filed with this Commission pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 by The United Gas Improvement Company ("UGI"), a registered holding company, and its public utility subsidiaries, Lancaster County Gas Company ("Lancaster"), The Harrisburg Gas Company ("Harrisburg"), Consumers Gas Company ("Consumers") and Allentown-Bethlehem Gas Company ("Allentown"), respectively. Declarants designate section 12 of the act and Rule U-45 promulgated thereunder as applicable to the proposed transactions.

Notice is further given that any interested person may, not later than June 14, 1950, at 5:30 p. m., e. d. s. t., request the Commission in writing that a hearing be held on such matter, stating the reasons for such request, the nature of his interest, and the issues of fact or law raised by said joint declarations which he desires to controvert, or may request that he be notified if the Commission should order a hearing thereon. Any such request should be addressed: Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 425 Second Street NW., Washington 25, D. C. At any time after June 14, 1950, said joint declarations, as filed or as amended, may be permitted to become effective as provided in Rule U-23 of the rules and regulations promulgated under the act, or the Commission may exempt such transactions as provided in Rules U-20 (a) and U-100 thereof.

All interested persons are referred to said joint declarations which are on file in the offices of this Commission for a

statement of the transactions therein proposed, which are summarized as follows:

UGI proposes to advance an amount not in excess of \$1,350,000 to Allentown, \$445,000 to Consumers, \$1,090,000 to Harrisburg and \$325,000 to Lancaster. Said advances will be made on open book account from time to time on or before December 31, 1950, and will bear interest at the rate of 3¼ percent per annum on the amounts actually advanced.

The proceeds of said advances are to be used as temporary financing of the construction program of the respective subsidiaries, including the construction of facilities for receiving and reforming natural gas.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.[F. R. Doc. 50-4957; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:45 a. m.]

[File No. 54-158]

UNITED CORP.

ORDER POSTPONING HEARING

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the city of Washington, D. C., on the 5th day of June 1950.

The Commission having by order dated August 9, 1948, reserved, among other things, jurisdiction over the reasonableness and appropriate allocation of all fees and expenses incurred and to be incurred by The United Corporation ("United"), a registered holding company, in connection with its plan providing for the retirement of its outstanding preference stock; and having by order dated May 16, 1950, designated June 13, 1950, as the date for public hearing on applications filed by persons requesting fees and reimbursement of expenses in connection with said plan; and

Certain applicants for fees and reimbursement of expenses having requested that the said hearing be postponed until after September 1, 1950, and the Commission deeming it appropriate that said requests be granted and that the hearing be postponed:

It is ordered, That the hearing in this matter scheduled for June 13, 1950, be and hereby is postponed subject to the call of the Hearing Examiner heretofore designated not earlier than September 5, 1950.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.[F. R. Doc. 50-4958; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:45 a. m.]

[File Nos. 70-2205, 70-2204]

SOUTHERN NATURAL GAS CO. ET AL.

ORDER GRANTING MERGER

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the city of Washington, D. C., on the 5th day of June A. D. 1950.

In the matter of Southern Natural Gas Company, Alabama Gas Corporation, File No. 70-2205; Southern Natural Gas Company, Alabama Gas Corporation, Mississippi Gas Company, File No. 70-2204.

On April 4, 1950, the Commission issued findings and opinion approving an application pursuant to which it was proposed that Alabama Gas Corporation would issue additional shares of its common stock in an amount and at prices sufficient to realize approximately \$1,000,000 and that such stock would be offered to the holders of its presently outstanding common stock under a rights offering. The application also proposed, among other things, transactions relating to a merger of Alabama Gas Corporation and Mississippi Gas Company.

In connection with the offering of the common stock of Alabama Gas Corporation, it was represented that warrants would be accompanied by a letter to stockholders advising of the proposed merger of Alabama Gas Corporation and Mississippi Gas Company and by a copy of the Commission's findings and opinion relating thereto.

It is now represented that due to unforeseen circumstances the proposed transactions relating to the merger may not be effected, and Alabama Gas Corporation therefore requests that it be permitted to mail warrants for the offering of common stock unaccompanied by our opinion of April 4, 1950, or by a letter relating to the said merger.

The Commission having considered such request and finding that, under the changed circumstances relating to said merger, the request should be granted, it is so ordered.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4959; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:45 a. m.]

[File No. 70-2404]

SOUTHERN NATURAL GAS CO.

NOTICE OF FILING

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the city of Washington, D. C. on the 6th day of June A. D. 1950.

Notice is hereby given that Southern Natural Gas Company ("Southern"), a registered holding company, has filed a declaration and an amendment thereto with this Commission pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 ("act"). Section 7 of the act has been designated by the declarant as being applicable to the proposed transaction.

Notice is further given that any interested person may, not later than June 19, 1950, at 5:30 p. m., e. d. s. t., request the Commission in writing that a hearing be held on such matter, stating the nature of his interest, the reasons for such request and the issues, if any, of fact or law raised by said declaration as filed or as amended, which he desires to con-

trovert, or may request that he be notified if the Commission should order a hearing thereon. Any such request should be addressed: Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, 425 Second Street NW., Washington 25, D. C. At any time after June 19, 1950, said declaration, as filed or as amended, may be permitted to become effective as provided in Rule U-23 of the rules and regulations promulgated under the act, or the Commission may exempt such transaction as provided in Rule U-20 (a) and U-100 thereof.

All interested persons are referred to said declaration which is on file in the offices of this Commission for a statement of the transaction therein proposed, which is summarized as follows:

Southern proposes to execute an agreement with The Chase National Bank of the City of New York and certain other banks providing for borrowings by Southern up to \$20,000,000 maximum principal amount. Funds will be borrowed as required by Southern and will be evidenced by Promissory Notes all maturing on July 1, 1951. Declarant estimates that the interest rate on said Promissory Notes will not exceed 2% per annum. The agreement will provide that Southern will pay a commitment fee to the participating banks at the rate of 1/4 percent of 1 percent on the daily average unused amount of the borrowing commitment, payable quarterly beginning October 1, 1950.

Southern states that the proceeds from the bank borrowings will be applied toward expenditures in 1950 and 1951 for construction of additional pipeline facilities, estimated in the amount of \$33,000,000. Declarant states that the proposed bank borrowings represent temporary financing to be subsequently refinanced on a permanent basis. In this connection, Southern represents that it intends to proceed with such permanent financing by the issue and sale of at least \$10,000,000 principal amount of First Mortgage Bonds, and expects to file a declaration in respect thereof with this Commission prior to November 1, 1950; and that additional permanent financing will be undertaken by Southern early in 1951, including the issue and sale of additional common stock to provide Southern with at least \$5,000,000.

The declaration states that no fees or commission will be incurred by Southern in connection with the proposed transaction, other than the commitment fee referred to above. Expenses are estimated at \$1,000.

Declarant states that the proposed transaction is not subject to the jurisdiction of any regulatory body other than this Commission.

Southern requests that the Commission issue its order not later than June 21, 1950, and that such order be effective upon issuance.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 50-4960; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:45 a. m.]

[File No. 54-185]

MIDDLE WEST CORP.

ORDER APPROVING AMENDED PLAN

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the city of Washington, D. C., on the 5th day of June A. D. 1950.

The Middle West Corporation ("Middle West"), a registered holding company, having filed an application and amendments thereto with this Commission, pursuant to section 11 (e) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, for approval of a plan for the liquidation and dissolution of Middle West; and

Public hearings having been held in respect of the plan after appropriate notice, and the Commission having made and filed its findings and opinion herein on May 19, 1950, finding that the plan, if modified in certain respects as set forth in said Findings and Opinion, would be necessary to effectuate the provisions of section 11 (b) of the act and fair and equitable to all persons affected thereby, and that upon approval of the plan certain jurisdiction heretofore reserved with respect to prior distributions by Middle West may appropriately be released; and

Middle West having filed an Amended Plan on May 26, 1950, modifying the plan in accordance with the aforesaid findings and opinion of the Commission; and having also supplemented the record with respect to the fees and expenses showing that, in addition to the fees and expenses estimated at \$23,900 heretofore found reasonable in our findings and opinion, the company will incur expenses estimated at \$14,800, comprising an additional fee of \$2,000 to The First National Bank of Chicago as depository, \$3,500 for tracing lost stockholders, \$4,300 for the preparation of distribution checks and \$5,000 for Federal income tax services; and further showing that certain administrative expenses, to be incurred by Middle West in winding up its affairs, are estimated to aggregate \$60,575 on an annual basis from the date of the initial distribution to the end of the year 1950, and \$52,980 annually thereafter to the date of the final distribution which, under the provisions of the plan, will be as soon as practicable after December 31, 1951; and that such administrative expenses, on an annual basis, include (a) compensation of \$15,000 to the president of Middle West for assuming executive direction of the distribution of the assets in compliance with the plan and for acting, together with two other directors, as trustee in dissolution of Middle West, (b) compensation of two director-trustees of \$3,000 each, (c) counsel fees of \$11,000 for all legal services required in connection with the liquidation and dissolution, (d) compensation of \$10,000 per annum in 1950, and \$5,000 per annum thereafter, for two administrative officers, and (e) \$18,575 per annum in 1950, and \$15,980 per annum thereafter, for clerical services, rent, franchise taxes, and miscellaneous items of administrative expense; and

The Commission having considered the record as supplemented with respect to fees and expenses and finding that such fees and expenses, if they do not exceed the above estimates, are not unreasonable, and having considered the Amended Plan in the light of its findings and opinion of May 19, 1950, and finding that the Amended Plan is necessary to effectuate the provisions of section 11 (b) of the act and is fair and equitable to the persons affected by it; and

Middle West having requested that the order of the Commission approving the Amended Plan contain recitals to conform to the requirements of section 1808 (f) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and that the Commission apply to an appropriate District Court of the United States for an order approving and enforcing the Amended Plan:

It is ordered, On the basis of the record herein and said findings and opinion, pursuant to section 11 (e) of the act and other applicable provisions of the act, that the Amended Plan be and it hereby is approved, subject to the terms and conditions contained in Rule U-24 and to the following additional terms and conditions:

1. That this order shall not be operative to authorize the consummation of the transactions proposed in the Amended Plan until an appropriate District Court of the United States shall, upon application thereto, enter an order enforcing the Amended Plan;

2. That jurisdiction be and hereby is specifically reserved with respect to the taking of such further action or entering of such further orders as we may deem necessary in connection with the Amended Plan, the transactions incident thereto, and the consummation thereof.

It is further ordered and recited, That all transactions provided for by the Amended Plan including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the sale and/or transfer of the shares of common stock and scrip certificates for fractional shares of common stock of Central and South West Corporation, Central Illinois Public Service Company, Wisconsin Power and Light Company, Kentucky Utilities Company, and Public Service Company of Indiana, Inc., or any thereof, itemized and described in section 3 of the Introductory Statement to the Amended Plan, and the sale and/or transfer of 172,393 shares of common stock of United Public Service Corporation, are necessary or appropriate to the integration and simplification of the Middle West holding company system and are necessary or appropriate to effectuate the provisions of section 11 (b) of the act and are hereby authorized, approved, and directed.

It is further ordered, That the jurisdiction heretofore reserved in the Commission's Orders of January 23, 1948, November 12, 1948, and January 14, 1949, entered in proceedings involving distributions by Middle West of its holdings in Central Illinois Public Service Company, Wisconsin Power and Light Company, Public Service Company of Indiana, Inc., and Kentucky Utilities Company (File Nos. 70-1720, 70-1976, 70-1981, and 70-2022), with respect to the determina-

tion of the rights of stockholders of Middle West who could not be located, and on behalf of whom no valid claim was made, to participate in the distribution of full shares of stocks of these companies, be, and the same hereby is, released.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

[P. R. Doc. 50-4961; Filed, June 9, 1950;
8:45 a. m.]

[File No. 70-2376]

CITIES SERVICE CO. AND THE TOLEDO
EDISON CO.

SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION-DECLARATION AND RESERVING CERTAIN JURISDICTION

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the city of Washington, D. C., on the 5th day of June A. D. 1950.

The Commission having, by Order dated May 9, 1950, granted and permitted to become effective, subject to certain conditions, the joint application-declaration, as amended, filed by Cities Service Company ("Cities Service"), a registered holding company, and its public utility subsidiary, The Toledo Edison Company ("Toledo Edison"), with respect to, *inter alia*, the sale by Cities Service, through a rights offering to its stockholders, of 3,702,000 shares of common stock of Toledo Edison and the issuance and sale by Toledo Edison for its own account, pursuant to the competitive bidding requirements of Rule U-50, of 400,000 additional shares of common stock; and

Said order having recited that if more than 1% of the shares of the common stock of Toledo Edison were unsubscribed by the stockholders of Cities Service, such shares would be disposed of by appropriate means to be suggested by Cities Service, subject to the approval of this Commission; and

Cities Service and Toledo Edison having, on June 1, 1950, filed a further amendment to said application-declaration, stating that all but 302,075 shares of the said 3,702,000 shares of Toledo Edison common stock were purchased by the stockholders of Cities Service through the exercise of rights, and further stating that Cities Service and Toledo Edison now propose to sell at Competitive bidding, as a whole, 702,075 shares of common stock of Toledo Edison, of which 302,075 shares will be sold by Cities Service and 400,000 shares will be issued and sold by Toledo Edison; and

The Commission having, in its order of May 9, 1950, reserved jurisdiction over the fees of counsel for Cities Service and Toledo Edison and of the financial adviser and having found that all other fees and expenses were not unreasonable; and the record having been supplemented with respect to the expenses showing that the total estimate has been increased by \$500 representing additional printing costs and that the allocation of expenses between Cities Service and

Toledo Edison has been revised so that, out of the aggregate fees and expenses of \$406,393, the sum of \$378,913 will be paid by Cities Service and \$27,480 by Toledo Edison; and it appearing to the Commission that the fees and expenses, as revised, other than the fees of counsel for Cities Service and Toledo Edison and of the financial adviser, are not unreasonable; and

The Commission having examined said amendment and having considered the record herein and finding that the requirements of the applicable provisions of the act and the rules promulgated thereunder are satisfied, and observing no basis for the imposition of terms and conditions, other than those set forth below, and deeming it appropriate to grant applicants-declarants' request that the competitive bidding period be shortened to not less than six days:

It is ordered, That said application-declaration, as further amended, be, and the same hereby is, granted and permitted to become effective forthwith, subject to the terms and conditions prescribed in Rule U-24 and to the continuance of the jurisdiction heretofore reserved with respect to the fees of counsel for Cities Service and Toledo Edison and the fee of the financial adviser, and subject to the further condition that the proposed sale of the 702,075 shares of common stock of Toledo Edison by Cities Service and Toledo Edison shall not be consummated (a) until a further order of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio expressly authorizing the issuance and sale of said common stock by Toledo Edison has been entered and we have been advised of the entry of such order and (b) until the results of the competitive bidding pursuant to Rule U-50 have been made a matter of record in this proceeding and a further order shall have been entered by this Commission in the light of the record so completed, which order may contain such further terms and conditions as may then be deemed appropriate, jurisdiction being reserved for such purpose.

It is further ordered, Pursuant to the request of Cities Service and Toledo Edison, that the ten-day period for inviting bids, as provided by Rule U-50, be and the same hereby is, shortened to a period of not less than six days.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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[File No. 70-2381]

WISCONSIN ELECTRIC POWER CO. AND
WISCONSIN NATURAL GAS CO.

SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER CONCERNING
APPLICATIONS-DECLARATIONS

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the city of Washington, D. C., on the 6th day of June 1950.

Wisconsin Electric Power Company ("Wisconsin Electric"), a registered

holding company and a public utility company, and its public utility subsidiary, Wisconsin Natural Gas Company ("Wisconsin Gas"), having filed joint applications-declarations, and amendments thereto, with this Commission, pursuant to the provisions of sections 6, 7, 9, 10 and 12 of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 ("Act") and Rules U-42, U-43, U-44 and U-50, promulgated thereunder, with respect to, among other matters, (a) the issuance and sale by Wisconsin Electric, pursuant to the competitive bidding requirements of Rule U-50, of \$15,000,000 principal amount of its First Mortgage Bonds, -- Percent Series, due 1980 ("New Electric Bonds"), (b) the issuance and sale by Wisconsin Electric, to its Common Stockholders, of a maximum of 585,405 additional shares of its Common Stock, on the basis of one share for each five shares held, and (c) the issuance and sale by Wisconsin Gas, pursuant to the competitive bidding requirements of Rule U-50, of \$3,500,000 principal amount of its First Mortgage Bonds, -- Percent, Due 1975 ("New Gas Bonds"); and

The Commission, by order dated May 26, 1950, having granted and permitted to become effective the said applications-declarations, as amended, subject, however, to the condition, among others, that the proposed issuance and sale of New Electric Bonds, New Gas Bonds, and additional Common Stock should not be consummated until the results of competitive bidding, pursuant to Rule U-50, the proposed subscription price for such additional Common Stock, the record date to determine the holders of Wisconsin Electric Common Stock entitled to receive subscription warrants, and the duration of the subscription period should have been made a matter of record in these proceedings and a further order or orders should have been entered by the Commission in the light of the record so completed; jurisdiction being reserved, *inter alia*, to impose such further terms and conditions, if any, as might then be deemed appropriate; and jurisdiction further having been reserved with respect to the payment of fees and expenses incurred or to be incurred in connection with the proposed transactions; and

Wisconsin Electric and Wisconsin Gas having, on June 6, 1950, filed a further amendment to said applications-declarations, as amended, in which it is stated that the proposed record date to determine the holders of the Wisconsin Electric Common Stock entitled to receive subscription warrants is to be June 6, 1950; that the subscription price per share for the additional shares of Common Stock is to be \$17.50 per share; that the subscription period will expire at 3:00 p. m., New York time on June 29, 1950; and that Wisconsin Electric has offered the New Electric Bonds for sale pursuant to the competitive bidding requirements of Rule U-50 and has received the following bids:

Bidder	Annual interest rate (percent)	Price to company (percent of principal)	Annual cost to company (percent)
Lehman Bros. and Salomon Bros. & Hutzler	2 3/4	100.521	2.72447
Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Beane	2 3/4	100.479	2.72652
Equitable Securities Corp.	2 3/4	100.287	2.73592
Union Securities Corp., and Harriman Ripley & Co., Inc.	2 3/4	100.192	2.74057
Glore, Forgan & Co.	2 3/4	100.15999	2.74214
Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.	2 3/4	100.09857	2.74516
The First Boston Corp.	2 3/4	100.079	2.74612

¹ Exclusive of accrued interest from June 1, 1950.

Wisconsin Electric having further stated in said amendment that it has accepted the bid of Lehman Brothers and Salomon Bros. & Hutzler for the New Electric Bonds and that the New Electric Bonds will be offered for sale to the public at a price of 101.02 percent of the principal amount thereof, result-

ing in an underwriters' spread of 0.499 percent, aggregating \$74,850; and

Wisconsin Gas having stated in said amendment that it has offered the New Gas Bonds for sale pursuant to the competitive bidding requirements of Rule U-50 and has received the following bids:

Bidder	Annual interest rate (percent)	Price to company (percent of principal)	Annual cost to company (percent)
The First Boston Corp.	2 3/4	100.8699	2.82624
Halsey, Stuart & Co., Inc.	2 3/4	100.36	2.85475

¹ Exclusive of accrued interest from June 1, 1950.

Wisconsin Gas having further stated in said amendment that it has accepted the bid of The First Boston Corporation for the New Gas Bonds and that the New Gas Bonds will be offered for sale to the public at a price of 101.42 percent of the principal amount thereof, resulting in an underwriters' spread of 0.5501 percent, aggregating \$19,253.50; and

The Commission having examined said amendment and having considered the record herein and finding with respect to the proposed issuance and sale of a maximum of 585,405 shares of Common Stock of Wisconsin Electric, that the applicable requirements of the Act and the Rules thereunder are satisfied, and finding no basis for imposing terms and conditions with respect to the price to be received for the New Electric Bonds and the New Gas Bonds, the redemption prices thereof, the interest rates thereon, the underwriters' spread, and deeming it appropriate in the public interest and in the interest of investors and consumers that the applications-declarations, as further amended, be granted and permitted to become effective forthwith; and

The Commission deeming it in the public interest and in the interest of investors and consumers to release jurisdiction as to the payment of all fees and expenses, other than those for accounting, engineering, and legal services, provided such fees and expenses, paid or to be paid, as to which jurisdiction is being

released, do not exceed the estimates stated in the applications-declarations, as amended:

It is ordered, That jurisdiction heretofore reserved in connection with the issuance and sale of 585,405 shares of Common Stock of Wisconsin Electric be, and the same hereby is, released and that said applications-declarations, as further amended in such respect, be, and the same hereby are, granted and permitted to become effective forthwith, subject, to the terms and conditions prescribed in Rule U-24 and subject, further, to the continued reservation of jurisdiction, heretofore reserved, with respect to the terms of the issuance and sale of any shares of Common Stock not issued and sold pursuant to the subscription offer; and

It is further ordered, That jurisdiction, heretofore reserved, in connection with the sale of the New Electric Bonds and New Gas Bonds to consider the results of the competitive bidding, be, and the same hereby is, released, and that said applications-declarations, as further amended in such respect, be, and the same hereby are, granted and permitted to become effective forthwith, subject to the terms and conditions prescribed in Rule U-24; and

It is further ordered, That jurisdiction be, and hereby is, released with respect to the payment by Wisconsin Electric of the following fees and expenses, not to exceed the amounts herein stated:

	New Electric bonds	Common stock
Filing fee for registration statement	\$1,556	\$1,054
Fee payable to Public Service Commission of Wisconsin	15,000	5,854
Federal tax on original issue	16,500	8,000
Charges of trustee for authentication of New Electric bonds	6,000	
Printing of registration statement and prospectus	27,000	18,000
Printing of supplemental indenture, bidding papers, warrants, printing and engraving of temporary and definitive stock certificates and bonds	25,000	15,800
Miscellaneous expenses, including payroll expense, postage, telephone and telegraph charges, traveling expense, and other miscellaneous expenses paid or to be paid by the company	21,244	33,092

It is further ordered, That jurisdiction be, and hereby is, released with respect to the payment by Wisconsin Gas of the following fees and expenses, not to exceed the amounts herein stated:

New Gas bonds	
Filing fee for registration statement.....	\$363
Fee payable to Public Service Commission of Wisconsin.....	3,500
Federal tax on original issue.....	3,850
Charges of trustee for authentication of New Gas bonds.....	1,750
Printing of indenture, bidding papers, and printing and engraving of temporary and definitive bonds.....	15,400
Printing of registration statement and prospectus.....	15,000
Miscellaneous expenses, including payroll expense, postage, telephone and telegraph charges, traveling expense, and other miscellaneous expenses paid or to be paid by the company.....	8,787

It is further ordered, That jurisdiction, heretofore reserved over, all other fees and expenses, incurred or to be incurred, in connection with the proposed transactions be, and the same hereby is, continued.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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[File Nos. 54-188, 70-2405]

EASTERN UTILITIES ASSOCIATES AND NEW ENGLAND ELECTRIC SYSTEM

NOTICE OF FILING; NOTICE OF AND ORDER FOR HEARING AND ORDER FOR CONSOLIDATION

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the city of Washington, D. C., on the 6th day of June A. D. 1950.

In the matter of Eastern Utilities Associates, File No. 54-188; New England Electric System, File No. 70-2405.

Notice is hereby given that a declaration has been filed by New England Electric System ("NEES"), a registered holding company, pursuant to the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, designating sections 12 (d) and 12 (f) of the act and Rule U-43 promulgated thereunder as being applicable thereto.

All interested persons are referred to said declaration, which is on file in the offices of this Commission, for a statement of the transactions therein proposed, which are summarized as follows:

NEES, the owner of 118,161 shares (56.3 percent) of \$25 par value capital stock of Fall River Electric Light Company ("Fall River") proposes to sell said stock to Eastern Utilities Associates ("AUA"), a registered holding company owning 77,456 shares (36.9 percent) of said capital stock, for a cash consideration of \$65 a share or a total price of \$7,680,465. The declaration states that the price of \$65 a share was arrived at by negotiations between NEES and EUA. The declaration further states that the cash consideration to be received by

NEES will be used by that company to make additional investments in its other subsidiary companies to aid in the furtherance of their construction programs.

There is presently pending before the Commission a reorganization plan of EUA and its subsidiary companies filed under section 11 (e) of the act (File No. 54-188) for the purpose of complying with the Commission's order dated April 4, 1950, which order provides, among other things, that EUA shall, within one year of the date of such order, terminate its existence and distribute its assets to its shareholders pursuant to a fair and equitable plan, unless, within said one year period, EUA acquires a minimum of 90 percent of the outstanding common stock of all of its subsidiary companies. As one of the transactions of Step One of said plan of recapitalization, EUA proposes to acquire said 118,161 shares of capital stock of Fall River now owned by NEES.

It appearing appropriate in the public interest and in the interest of investors and consumers that a hearing be held with respect to said declaration filed by NEES and that it shall not be permitted to become effective except pursuant to an order of the Commission; it further appearing that common issues of law and fact arising in connection with said declaration and in connection with the transactions proposed as Step One of said plan of recapitalization filed by EUA make it appropriate that such matters be consolidated for hearing and decision:

It is hereby ordered,

(1) That a hearing be held on said declaration;

(2) That said declaration and the hearing thereon be, and the same hereby is, consolidated with the proceeding and hearing in connection with said plan of recapitalization of EUA and its subsidiary companies, subject to a reservation of jurisdiction to separate the matters so consolidated either for hearing or for disposition, in whole or in part.

It is further ordered, That the consolidated hearing on said declaration and on the said plan of recapitalization be held on the 20th day of June, 1950, at 10:00 a. m., e. d. s. t., at the offices of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 425 Second Street NW., Washington 25, D. C., in such room as may be designated on such date by the hearing room clerk. Any person desiring to be heard in connection with said consolidated proceeding or proposing to intervene therein shall file with the Secretary of the Commission, on or before June 16, 1950, a request relative thereto as provided by Rule XVII of the commission's rules of practice.

It is further ordered, That Harold B. Teegarden, or any other officer or officers of the Commission designated by it for that purpose, shall preside at such hearing. The officer or officers so designated to preside at such hearing are hereby authorized to exercise all powers granted to the Commission under section 18 (c) of the act and to a hearing officer under the Commission's rules of practice.

The Division of Public Utilities having advised the Commission that it has made

a preliminary examination of the declaration and that upon the basis thereof the following matters and questions are presented for consideration without prejudice to the specification of additional matters and questions upon further examination:

1. Whether the proposed sale, and the terms thereof, of shares of capital stock of Fall River by NEES is consistent with the public interest and the interest of investors and consumers and with the applicable standards of the Act.

2. Whether the accounting entries in connection with the said declaration are appropriate and in accordance with sound accounting practice.

3. What terms and conditions, if any, should be contained in the Commission's order with respect to said declaration.

It is further ordered, That at said hearing evidence shall be adduced with respect to the foregoing matters and questions.

It is further ordered, That the Secretary of the Commission shall serve notice of the aforesaid hearing by mailing a copy of this notice and order by registered mail to New England Electric System, Fall River Electric Light Company and Eastern Utilities Associates and that further notice be given to all other persons by publication of this notice and order in the FEDERAL REGISTER and by general release of this notice and order including distribution to the press and mailing to the persons appearing on the Commission's mailing list for releases issued under the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935.

By the Commission.

[SEAL] ORVAL L. DuBOIS,
Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Office of Alien Property

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[Return Order 545, Amdt.]

ROBERT TABASHI ISHII

Return Order No. 545, dated February 7, 1950, published in the FEDERAL REGISTER on February 11, 1950 (15 F. R. 786), is hereby amended as follows and not otherwise:

The amount of cash "in the Treasury of the United States" included under "Property" is changed from "\$20,839.49" to "\$20,111.46".

Executed at Washington, D. C., on June 6, 1950.

For the Attorney General.

[SEAL] HAROLD I. BAYNTON,
Acting Director,
Office of Alien Property.

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